

All – as most of you have contact with our residents on a daily basis, I wanted you to be aware of a new program coming to Bay City. I met with our new Charter representative and Charter has launched a new program titled “**Spectrum Internet Assist Program**”, that will be introduced this winter for families with students that participate in the free or reduced lunch program and Senior Citizens who qualify for SSI services. The service will deliver 30/4 Mbps speeds for \$14.99 per month, making it the only low-cost internet service for low-income populations that meets – and even exceeds – the FCC’s definition of high-speed broadband. The fastest speed currently offered by comparable programs today is only 10Mbps. Charter’s industry leading broadband will provide substantial benefits for underserved low-income families and seniors citizens.

Charter is trying to reach families that cannot afford internet and we all know that most homework today requires the use of the internet. Charter will be doing a launch soon in Bay City, as it is been released already on the west side of the state.

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